

## **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

Previously, claims 1-61 were pending. Currently in the case, after amendment, claims 1, 7, 13, 25, 55, 56, 58, 60, & 61 are pending and believed to be allowable.

This Amendment responds to the aforementioned Office Action in a manner which utilizes the Examiner's indications of allowability. The examiner indicated that claims 37 (which was dependent on claim 31-- which was dependent upon claim 1) and claim 60 (dependent upon claim 31) were allowable if amended to independent form. For simplicity and to reduce the number of confusing re-direction amendment in the claims to claim 37, claim 1 has been amended to include the limitations of claims 37 and 31. As a result, 1, 7, 13, 25, 55, 56, 58, 60, & 61 remain and are believed to be logically arranged to depend from claim 1 which is now allowable.

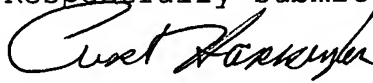
Applicant requests reconsideration and ultimate allowability of all aspects of the case, including all of claims 1, 7, 13, 25, 55, 56, 58, 60, & 61.

No objection to the drawings was seen and it is assumed that the drawings are in condition for allowance.

The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's Attorney at the number below between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, if such will advance this case.

Dated: January 30, 2006

Respectfully submitted:



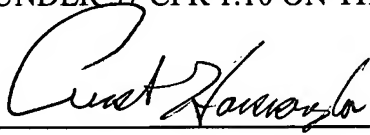
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